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Title: ELECTRONIC ASSET UTILIZATION SYSTEM, ELECTRO-
NIC ASSET UTILIZATION METHOD, SERVER FOR USE
WITH ELECTRONIC ASSET UTILIZATION SYSTEM, AND
RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING RECORDED THEREON
ELECTRONIC ASSET UTILIZATION METHOD
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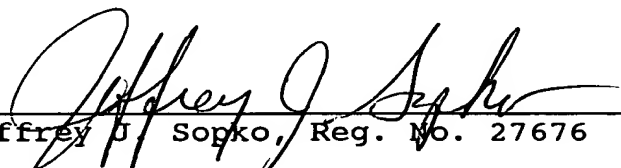
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Sir:

Enclosed is a certified copy of Japanese Patent Appli-
cation No. Hei. 11-39543; the priority of which has been claimed
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Respectfully submitted,

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